AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

The listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims

1. (Currently Amended) An image processing apparatus for processing plural pages of a job to be give to an output device, each page of the plural pages having a predetermined number of sections of standard color space, the image processing apparatus comprising:

a memory for memorizing all of the plural pages of the job;

a determiner for determining whether or not image data on said each page are within a color reproduction range of the output device, wherein the determining determines a number of results equal to the number of the plural pages;

a decision controller for ~~determining for each page of all said plural pages whether or not image data on said each page are data within a color reproduction range of the output device and~~ deciding parameters to be used for color correction ~~on a~~ for the job ~~basis~~ based on the results; and

a color compressing controller for compressing uniformly all of said plural pages using the same parameters which are decided [[on]] for the job ~~basis~~ so as to supply the processed data to the output device.

Claims 2 - 4 (Cancelled)

5. (Original) The image processing apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the output device is a printer for printing an image in accordance with the image data, and the image processing apparatus is built in the printer.

6. (Original) The image processing apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the image data are generated by an image reader, and the image processing apparatus is built in the image reader.

Claims 7 - 10 (Cancelled)

11. (Previously Presented) The image processing apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the decision controller performs the deciding for each section of the standard color space for the parameters to be used for color correction, and the compressing controller performs a color compression uniformly for each section of standard color space.

12. (Currently Amended) A method for processing plural pages of a job to be given to an output device, the method comprising:

providing a memory for memorizing all of the plural pages of the job;

determining whether or not image data on said each page are within a color reproduction range of the output device, wherein the determining determines a number of results equal to the number of the plural pages; and

deciding parameters to be used for color correction for the job based on the results; and

compressing uniformly all of said plural pages using the same parameters which are decided for the job so as to supply the processed data to the output device.

~~determining for each page of said plural pages whether or not image data on said each page are data within a color reproduction range of the output device; and~~

~~compressing uniformly all of said plural pages using the same parameters which are decided on a job basis so as to supply the processed data to the output device.~~

13.   (Previously Presented)   The image processing method according to claim 12, wherein the deciding step is performed for each section of standard color space, and the compressing step performs the color compression uniformly for each section of standard color space.